(d) if so, the details of the policy to open up new exhibition grounds;and

(e) the steps proposed to encourage ITPO to start exhibition facility in Andhra Pradesh?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI E.V.K.S. ELANGOVAN): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) Does not arise.

(e) Presently there is no such proposal.

Investment in Tamil Nadu

2979. SHRI E.M.SUDARSANA NATCHIAPPAN: Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the steps taken by Government under new Industrial Policy to attract investment in Tamil Nadu during the last three years;

(b) the sectors in which investment has so far been made in this State during the said period, place-wise, together with the amount of investment made in this regard;and

(c) the necessary steps being taken and proposed to be taken by Government for expeditious industrialization in the country especially in Tamil Nadu?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI E.V.K.S. ELANGOVAN): (a) to (c) Under the liberalized Industrial Policy, decision to set up industry depends upon the commercial judgement of the entrepreneur which, in turn, is also based on the initiatives taken by the State Government by way of providing basic infrastructural facilities and other incentives. Industrial Development is primarily the responsibility of the concerned State Government. The Central Government supports the efforts by providing support/incentives under its various Scheme, particularly for development of industrially disadvantageous areas. Under the Growth Centre Scheme, three Growth Centres at Erode, Oragadam and Tirunelveli (Gangai Kondan Nanur Block) have been sanctioned. Further, under the Industrial Infrastructure

Upgradation Scheme, project proposals in respect of 5 clusters in Tamil Nadu, namely (i) Textile Cluster, Tirupur(ii) Auto Ancillary Cluster, Chennai (iii) Cereals, Pulses and Staples Cluster, Madurai (iv) Leather Cluster, Ambur and (v) Pump Motor and Foundry Cluster, Coimbatore have also been approved.

Sector-wise distribution of investment proposals based on the Industrial Entrepreneur Memoranda (IEMs) filed and Letters of Intent (LOIs)/ Direct Industrial Licences (DILs) issued during the last three years in Tamil Nadu is given in the Statement.

Statement

Sector-wise details of Industrial Investment Intentions for the State of Tamil Nadu for the period from 1.4.2002 *to* 31.3.2005

Name of the Scheduled Industry	Proposed Numbers	Proposed Investment (Rs. Cr)
Metallurgical Industries	64	959
Fuels	2	47526
Boilers & Steam Gen Plants	0	0
Prime Movers	44	463
Electrical Industries	26	595
Telecommunication	1	3
Transportation	34	494
Industrial Machinery	29	123
Machine Tools	3	4
Agricultural Machinery	2	262
Earth Moving Machinery	0	0
Misc. Mechanical Industries	23	156
Comm./House Hold & Office Equipments	2	4
Medical & Surgical Appliances	3	6
Industrial Instruments	0	0
Scientific Instruments	0	0
Math, Surgery & Drawing Equipments	0	0
Fertilizers	1	0
Chemical (other than Fertilizers)	44	456

Name of the Scheduled Industry	Proposed Numbers	Proposed Investment (Rs. Cr)
Photographic raw film & Paper	0	0
Dye stuffs	0	0
Drugs & Pharmaceuticals	10	36
Textiles	319	2736
Paper & Pulp	16	52
Sugar	7	494
Fermentation Industries	13	535
Food Processing Industries	32	185
Vanaspati, Veg. Oil & Fats	23	89
Soap, Cosmetics & Toiletries	4	8
Rubber Goods	17	91
Leather and Leather Products	34	108
Glue and Gelatin	1	0
Glass	3	796
Ceramics	7	76
Cement and Gypsum	13	1774
Timber Products	3	5
Defence Industries	2	4
Miscellaneous Industries	102	1028
TOTAL:	884	59068

New norms to be set by WTO on anti-dumping duties

2980. SHRIMATI N.P. DURGA: Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that in the forthcoming WTO negotiations, WTO is going to set new norms on anti-dumping duties;

(b) if so, whether the new norms will whittle duty protection that is available to India on anti-dumping duties;

(c) how Government is going to deal with it in the WTO Conference;

(d) whether any strategy has been prepared for this purpose; and